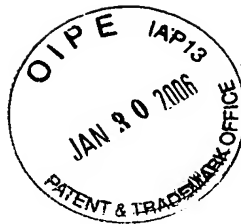


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PROCESSING SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.